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CAPITAL NOTES.

Chinese Statistics for British Columbia.

Necessity for a Health Convention Referred to.

The Buildings of the Government Test Farm at Agassiz to be Erected This Year.

(From our own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Ont., March 10.—The total number of Chinese immigrants who arrived in Canada from March 31st, 1887, to December 31st, 1889, was 1877. Of these 1487 were landed at Vancouver, 363 at Victoria, 12 at New Westminster and the remainder at other ports. The total amount of fees collected during this period was $83,000. Four Chinese were detected in attempting to land on fraudulent certificates last year. Three thousand four hundred and eighty-seven return certificates have been issued in the period named. Considerable correspondence bearing on the conduct of Interpreter Vrooman was embodied in the return brought down. On the abolition of the office of interpreter, Vrooman received a gratuity of $364.

Prof. Saunders has asked the manager of the British Columbia experimental farm to forward his suggestions as to the buildings required at Agassiz. The government is prepared to erect them this year.

In the House to-day a motion for the establishment of a health department was discussed. Sir John said he thought the time had arrived for the holding of a Dominion health convention in order to harmonize the sanitary laws of the different provinces.

The Orange bill is likely to pass in the Senate to-morrow without discussion.

Sir Richard Cartwright's motion censuring Rykert will probably be referred to the committee on privileges on elections.

Fifteen members of the Wimbledon team have accepted places.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Fifth Parliament—Fourth Session.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

MONDAY, 10th March, 1890.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:05 p. m.

REPORTED.

The private bills committee reported the preambles proved of the bills to incorporate the Nanaimo Telephone Co. and the British Columbia Jockey Club. They also reported that they had altered the title of the bill introduced as "The Canadian Pacific Fire Insurance Co. Act," to "The London and Canadian Fire Insurance Co. Act," as the first title might conflict, owing to its similarity, with "The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Co. Act." The committee had considered the Vancouver Water Works Amendment Act, and wished the opinion of the attorney-general on the point whether it did not conflict with the act of 1888. The report was received and ordered printed.

THE B. C. SOUTHERN.

Hon Mr. Beaven moved—"That a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor requesting him to cause to be sent down to the House copies of all orders-in-council received or approved respecting the proposed railways known as the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway, or the B. C. Southern Railway, together with all correspondence and telegrams received or sent by the Government or any of its members upon the same subject."

The resolution passed without opposition.

PEACE RIVER LANDS.

Mr. Semlin moved—"That a respectable address be presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor asking him to cause to be sent down to this House copies of all orders in council, letters and correspondence between this government and the government of the Dominion of Canada, or any correspondence between any members of said governments, in relation to the proposed exchange of lands in the Peace River country for the lands known as the railway belt on the mainland of this province."

Carried.

Hon. Mr. Robson—There is no objection to this resolution. On the contrary, I am very glad it has been moved by my honorable friend, as the papers, when they come down, will show what misrepresentation and rubbish has appeared in the organ of the opposition upon the subject.

A RETURN.

Hon. Mr. Robson presented a return of all papers in reference to the dismissal of Archibald Irving, assessor, collector and recorder at Granite City.

TIMBER MARKING.

Mr. Haslam introduced a bill respecting the marking of timber. Read a first time; second reading on Wednesday.

ASHCROFT AND CARIBOO RAILWAY.

Mr. Semlin in moving the second reading of the Ashcroft and Cariboo Railway bill, remarked that it was the first private bill that he had ever had the honor of introducing. He then proceeded to trace the history of mining in British Columbia and show how the development of Cariboo had been retarded by its inaccessibility. It was for the object of placing Cariboo in communication with the outer world that this bill had been introduced.

Mr. Mason said that he intended to support this bill because the construction of railways meant the development of the province. Especially were railways needed in Cariboo, and he hoped that the road referred to in the bill would be constructed by way of the Lac la Hache valley if possible.

Mr. Cowan also endorsed the bill, and hoped that it would be constructed so as to tap the wheat producing section of the Fraser, the best in the province. He trusted that the time allowed for construction would be shortened when the bill went into committee.

Mr. Nason also supported the bill, and referred to the necessity of providing railways to open up the mineral wealth of Cariboo.

Hon. Mr. Robson thought that the House would be acting in the best interests of the country in rendering all assistance possible to any railway having for its object the opening up of the great district of Cariboo. He would give his support to the bill, although he thought the time allowed for construction should be reduced. All portions of British Columbia should join hands in doing all in their power to further this important enterprise.

The bill passed its second reading and was committed, with Mr. Thomson in the chair. In committee the time allowed for construction was reduced from seven to five years, and the bill was reported complete with amendments. The report will be considered on Tuesday.

THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved the second reading of the bill to incorporate the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. The hospital had been erected by public subscriptions and government assistance, and it was necessary now that its affairs be put under proper management.

The bill was read a second time, and went into committee, with Mr. Ladner in the chair. In committee, on motion of Hon. Mr. Robson, the title was amended by striking out the words "Provincial Royal," leaving the name of the hospital simply "The Jubilee Hospital." The bill was reported complete with amendments.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

On the further consideration of the Municipalities Amendment Bill (Hon. Mr. Beaven) one or two clerical amendments were made. The consideration of the debate was again adjourned until Thursday.

SHERIFFS' BILL.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Sheriffs' Act, and briefly explained its contents. The bill was read a second time and committed, with Mr. Anderson in the chair. It was subsequently reported complete with amendments, and the report will be considered at the next sitting of the House.

UNIVERSITY BILL.

Mr. Duck said that as many important amendments had been made to this bill since its introduction he would ask that the second reading be discharged. The bill was discharged and Mr. Duck introduced the amended bill, which was read a first time. The second reading was set for Wednesday.

COLUMBIA AND CARBONATE RAILWAY.

With Mr. Mason in the chair, the House went into committee upon the Columbia and Carbonate Mountain Railway bill (Col. Baker). The committee rose, reporting progress, and will sit again on Wednesday.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF CREDITORS.

The House at 5.15 o'clock went into committee, with Mr. Croft as chairman, upon the bill respecting assignments for the benefit of creditors (Hon. Mr. Turner). The bill was reported complete with amendments.

The House adjourned until Tuesday.

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AMERICAN NEWS.

A Mysterious Murder.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The partly decomposed body of a well-dressed woman, about 25 years old, was found today in the cellar of No. 3 Eldridge street. The head was cut and bruised and tied up in a cloth. A pair of gold rings were in the ears. The murder was probably committed several days ago. The features indicate that the woman was of the Hebrew race. The whole body is terribly bruised, as if by kicking. The nose and jaw are broken, and the skull fractured. Shreds of human skin clinging to the finger nails indicate that the woman fought for her life. The beginning of a letter was found in the woman's pocket. It contained the words, "Feb. 16, 1890. My Dear Freda." This was written in Hebrew. The remainder of the letter had been torn off. The upper part of the house was for some time occupied by a Hebrew school janitor, Isaac Jacobs, the man who on Feb. 16th shot and killed Herman Rogozinski and badly wounded Mrs. Rogozinski; shot at their son, and finally committed suicide. Jacobs had a very bad reputation in the neighborhood, and was said to have had trouble with several women. The police think he was the murderer.

Canadian Bonded Freight.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Secretary Windom has granted the Northern Pacific Railway permission to transport goods wholly by rail from ports in Canada through the United States to other ports in Canada when goods are placed in cars duly secured by Canadian seals and accompanied by manifests in triplicate, and when the United States collectors have no doubt of the good faith of the representations made. It is expressly stated that nothing in the letter of permission is to be construed as affecting the present regulations governing the transportation of goods from port to port in the United States or of imported merchandise in bond or of goods coming from foreign countries and destined for Canada.

Burned by an Electric Wire.

BOSTON, March 10.—A. E. Hector, an employee of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, was badly burned by an electric light wire while making repairs this morning on the top of the building. Some passers-by heard him scream and saw the man dangling on the wire, which he had caught with his left hand. An instant later he fell to the roof, which fortunately was flat. He was found later insensible and taken to an hospital. He is seriously injured.

The Case of John L. Sullivan.

JACKSON, Miss., March 10.—The supreme court to-day did not render a decision in the case of J. L. Sullivan for prize fighting in Mississippi, as was expected. The decision will be given next Monday.

A Valuable Stock of Goods.

TOLEDO, O., March 10.—The stock of dry goods owned by the estate of the late Frederick Eaton, the merchant prince of Toledo, was sold this afternoon to G. F. Fisher, of New York, for $2,450,000 cash, which is about $10,000 less than the appraised value.

Shirtmakers on Strike.

NEW YORK, March 10.—About 2000 shirtmakers are on strike. They met this morning at a large hall in Rivington street, a great many women being present. They claim higher wages, the same to be uniform in all shops. They want the bosses to buy machines for them. They don't intend to work more than ten hours, instead of fourteen. Many of the bosses have already agreed to their terms, but the majority have not yet decided. A strike committee was in conference with them to-day.

A Horrible Death.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 10.—The house of Charles Gibson (colored), in Beauford County, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night, and Gibson and his wife and child perished in the flames. There is suspicion of foul play.

Danger of a Flood.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—A special from Arkansas City says since the break in the levee the crevasse has not widened materially, and a strong effort will be made to stop it if. Capt. Collinger, government engineer, has gone up to stop it if possible. Considerable water has come in already, but it is filling up the back country, and so far there is no water in the town. It will be a day or two before this place is flooded, if at all. If the break is not stopped, the water coming through the crevasse will eventally fill Tensas river and overflow the Tensas district, there being no protection between here and Louisiana and the crevasse.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

The Star of the Gladstonians in the Ascendant.

H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught Starts Round the World.

England Urged to Intercede for the Victims of Russian Tyranny—Retrenchment in the War Department.

THE LIBERAL PARTY JUBILANT.

LONDON, March 10.—The Liberals were never so jubilant as now, and never was the work of organization carried on so enthusiastically in their ranks. The results of the recent bye-elections have made it certain that the Conservatives have lost their majority in the country, and that as soon as an appeal to the people can be had the Gladstonians will win.

RUMORS OF DISSOLUTION.

Rumors are again current that parliament will be dissolved immediately after the passage of the budget. The Tories seem to have anchored their hopes on the budget, hoping by some financiering scheme to regain the confidence which their policy in other directions has lost them. It is, however, a forlorn hope. Club gossip has it that Mr. Allen Douglas, the Tory whip, resigned because of Saturday night's counting out of the House, which the government intends to explain as being the result of a Liberal plot. The unprecedented occurrence of such an important debate ending in such a manner is, however, too significant to be explained on this hypothesis, and the public will not be deceived. The fact is that the government has made such a mess of the Parnell commission matter that even its own supporters, though loyal enough to vote for the ministry, will not talk for them nor countenance further discussion of the question at issue.

SYMPATHY FOR EVICTED TENANTS.

The Bishop of Raphaoe has forwarded to the parishes of that diocese where painful evictions have been in progress, £500 subscribed for the tenants' defence league by the people of Donegal.

A RARE VOLUME.

A bible printed in an Indian language at Cambridge, Mass., in 1661, was among the rare books in a collection just sold at auction here, and brought $510.

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S TOUR.

H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, commander-in-chief of the British forces in India, starts from Bombay on Thursday for a tour of the world. He will visit China and Japan, and thence proceed to Vancouver, B. C., and Quebec, and thence to England. In a speech at a banquet in honor of the event, the Duke referred to the utter inadequacy of the defences of Bombay, and intimated that he would urge this question upon the attention of the home authorities.

AN M. P.'S RESIGNATION.

John Sinclair, Liberal M. P. for Ayr, Scotland, will resign his seat.

ANOTHER OF PARNELL'S OPPONENTS.

Parnell will prosecute the Exeter Gazette for copying the alleged forgeries printed in the London Times, and continuing the publication thereof.

SYMPATHY FOR THE SIBERIAN EXILES.

A mass meeting, held in Hyde Park on Sunday, under the auspices of the various labor organizations, to protest against the treatment by the Russian government of political prisoners, was not so largely attended as had been expected. There were about 2,000 people present, mostly Radicals and Socialists. John Burns was the principal speaker. He delivered an eloquent and impassioned address, denouncing the outrages upon the Siberian exiles, and calling upon the British government to use its influence to induce Russia to adopt a more humane policy. Several other Radicals and labor leaders spoke; but Mr. Davitt, Mrs. Besant and other prominent persons who were announced to speak did not appear.

FAILED TO KEEP HIS PROMISE.

"Buffalo Bill," during his exhibition on the Campagna, at Rome, on Sunday afternoon, offered a sum of money to any outsider who should succeed in riding a certain horse. Some peasants succeeded in riding the animal, but payment was refused on the ground that they had not mounted within the required time. The audience were indignant and roundly hissed the managers. The show opens at Florence to-morrow.

THE MAUSOLEUM AT CHARLOTTENBERG

The Imperial mausoleum at Charlottenberg was dedicated on Sunday in the presence of the Emperor and Empress and other members of the royal family and high personages. Court Chaplain Koegel officiated. Field Marshal Von Moltke headed the Knights of the Black Eagle, who were present in a body. Prince Bismarck was not present. The Emperor and others of the family placed wreaths upon the coffins of William, Augusta and Frederick.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

LONDON, March 10.—As a result of the recent persistent outcry against the war office, it is stated important changes in the military are shortly to be made, which it is expected will greatly increase the demands of that branch of the government service upon the treasury. Following up this breach in the hitherto impenetrable official bulwark, Lord Randolph Churchill intends that the ministry shall still further defer to popular demand for retrenchment by abolishing the admiralty and other semi-ornamental boards, the maintenance of which, as part of the government machinery, are of little benefit to anybody except to the occupants of the fat positions they comprise. With this object in view, Lord Randolph contemplates the introduction of a recommendation that these bureaus be abandoned, and the nominal functions of the officials connected therewith be assumed by officers whose present hours of leisure indicate their entire ability in respect of time to perform much additional work.

PREPARING FOR THE DIVISION.

The urgent whip which the government sent out to-day, representing the necessity for a full attendance of Conservative members in the commons to-night, was successful in inducing the appearance in their seats of several Tories whose presence during the present session has been very irregular and uncertain. Nor have the opposition been idle, though the average of their attendance has been much higher than that of the Conservatives since the important debate began, and every available opponent of Smith's motion is within the precincts of the house.

A SALT TRUST.

A new salt trust is in process of formation with the object of controlling and developing the salt deposits in Winsford district, which promise a phenomenally large yield.

STAIRS' POISONED ARROW.

Lieut. Stairs, of the Stanley party, who is now in London, has written to the managers of the Stanley exhibition, which will open on March 24th, that he will place among the exhibits the poisoned arrow with which he was so severely wounded by natives in the dark continent.

HOW AN EXPLOSION WAS CAUSED.

An explosion which occurred in Marsa colliery, Glamorganshire, to-day, is attributed to a sudden change in the temperature of the pit by the admission of a warmer current of air.

RUSSIA'S FIRST STRIKE.

A despatch from St. Petersburg states that six hundred laborers employed on the docks in that city have gone on strike. The action of the men has created a sensation, as it is the first strike that has ever occurred in Russia.

DEATH OF SULTAN MURAD.

A Short Reign Followed by a Long Imprisonment.

BERLIN, March 8.—A special from Constantinople reports the death of ex-Sultan Murad V., who succeeded his uncle, Sultan Abdul Aziz, May 29, 1876, and was deposed in favor of his brother, the present sultan, in August of the same year.

Since that time it is alleged he has been confined in the palace.

NOT AN HOUR TO LOSE.

Loss of the French Ship Nantique in the Atlantic.

She Goes Down Bow First Soon After the Crew are Taken off by a Passing Steamer.

HALIFAX, N. S., March 9.—The steamer Manitoban arrived this afternoon seventeen days out from Glasgow with officers and crew, thirty-six in number of the French steamer Nantique, Captain Dragone Havre, of Baltimore. The Nantique was spoken on February 28. She was lying in a trough of the sea perfectly helpless and almost turning over each time the sea struck her. She left Havre January 10 and from the time she left the port she experienced a succession of tremendous hurricanes. January 25 she sprang a leak under the engines and the pumps were set agoing and kept working without intermission until the 30th, when a tremendous sea threw her on her beam ends. The sea went down the smoke stack and through the engine and fire rooms. Then ensued a panic among the firemen, who imagined the vessel was foundering. From that on until the day the Manitoban hove in sight all was despair.

The vessel had become totally unmanageable. On February 27 she experienced another gale, when the officers and sailors made up their minds she was going to the bottom. On the 28th the water had risen in the hold to such an extent that it was only a question of hours when she would founder. Life rafts and the one boat remaining were gotten ready and victualled to abandon the steamer. The rafts were over the side when the Manitoban hove in sight. Signals were made and boats were sent from the Manitoban, when the Nantique's officers and crew were taken off. An hour afterwards the Nantique threw her stern up, her bow plunged down and she sank. The crew were badly used up from frost bites and minor injuries. After rescuing the Nantique's crew the Manitoban had frightful weather, losing seven boats and everything moveable on deck. Over 200 head of live cattle were either killed or drowned.

CANADIAN NEWS.

A Brute Driven from Town.

LINDSAY, Ont., March 10. — Several indecent assaults have been committed here lately on little girls, one of the victims being the daughter of John A. Barron, M. P. for North Victoria. The assaults are said to have been committed by a married blacksmith named Raymond. Barron returned from Ottawa last night, and hearing of the outrage he secured a good stick and drove the brute out of town.

The Benwell Tragedy.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., March 10. — The inquest on the body of F. C. Benwell, the murdered young Englishman, concluded at Princeton. The jury finds that shots were fired by Reginald Burchell, alias Somerset, with the deliberate purpose of wilfully and feloniously committing murder, on or about the 17th February, 1890, and further, that Caroline Burchell, wife of the said Reginald Burchell, was an accessory to the murder.

Burchell's Relatives.

NIAGARA FALLS, March 10.—During his examination before Magistrate Hill, young Pelly, who accompanied Benwell and Burchell to America, testified that Burchell said his father had been a clergyman in England, but was dead, and left himself and a brother, who, he said, was in Manitoba and well off. He said his brother had been in company with him, but, not liking the horse business, had sold his interest to him and went to Manitoba.

A Family Cremated.

MONTREAL, March 10.—A terrible disaster occurred at Cote Ste Michaels, a small village ten miles from here on the St. Lawrence, whereby the wife of a farmer named Colleratte and his seven children lost their lives by burning. Colleratte himself was badly burned in an attempt to save wife and family.

A Hero's Death.

TORONTO, March 10.—Robt. Bailey, aged 20, a gardener who came out from Scotland last summer, was drowned in the bay yesterday. He had rescued another man who had fallen in, but was too much exhausted to climb out himself and sank.

Halton's Murderer.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, March 10.—The prisoner held on suspicion of being Halton's murderer is remanded until Friday next.

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CABLE NEWS.

Another Frightful Disaster in the Morsa Mine.

Hundreds of Unfortunate Miners are Still Entombed.

Gladstone's Amendment Rejected in the Commons by a Vote of 339 to 268.

Shocking Mining Disaster.

LONDON, March 10.—It is now stated that upwards of 300 miners were imprised in Morsa colliery. About 200 have been resuced from the workings nearest the main shaft. Most of them were uninjured, but several were fatally hurt. Owing to later heavy falls of debris the explorers are prevented from penetrating the workings, which are pervaded by choke damp. Now and again a body is being brought to the surface, but the work of recovering the corpses is slow. A further fall of debris has completely blocked the pit and rendered all attempts to rescue the imprisoned miners futile until the mass can be cleared away. Latest estimates place the number of dead at 165.

Eight bodies horribly mutilated have been taken out of the Morsa pit. It is rumored that the rescuers have heard appeals for help coming from the entombed men; but are unable to push their search because of the gas and flames which confront them.

Gladstone's Amendment Rejected.

LONDON, March 10.—In the Commons to-day, Mr. Sexton, resuming the debate on the acceptance of the Parnell commission's report, protested against placing upon the records of the house the judges' perverted and distorted views of the evidence taken. The Tories, he declared, were bound to accept the amendments to Smith's motion as on act of moral restitution. Gladstone's amendment was rejected by a vote of 339 to 268. The amendment offered by Jennings will be taken up to-morrow.

In the course of his speech, Mr. Sexton said he had in his possession a letter marked "Private," from Lord Salisbury to Pigott.

Balfour declared it was a vile calumny to insinuate that Lord Salisbury was connected with the forgeries. He dared Sexton to publish or read the letter.

Mr. Sexton said he was ready to submit the letter, together with others, to a committee of enquiry.

Balfour continued by declaring that the Parnellites had failed to show an instance of their having offered a reward for the detection of crime or criminals. They had accepted donations of money from the Clan na Gael. Leaders of such a party, he said, had incurred dishonor.

Sir William Harcourt maintained that the forged letter had helped the government to pass the Crimes act. The country was perhaps weary of this debate, but that was because the people regarded the action of the government against the acquitted men as vindictive and ungenerous.

The Conservative Majority.

LONDON, March 10.—The majority voting on Gladstone's amendment in the commons consisted of 284 Conservatives and 56 Liberal-Unionists. Seventy-five Parnellites voted with the minority.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

The Belgic's Cargo.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10—Among the cargo of the China line steamer Belgic were 110 cases of prepared opium, the duty on each case being $410. It is consigned to this city. $45,100 as duty on the shipment was paid to-day.

The Molders' Strike.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—It is reported by representatives of the Iron Molders' union that quite a number of capitalists waited on the executive committee on Saturday last and desired to inform the union that the necessary financial assistance could be obtained if they desired to start a foundry for themselves. Much talk is being indulged in to-day in the executive committee rooms on this matter. No information was given out about what steps the union would take concerning the importation of non-union men from the east to take the places of the strikers.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—Cleared Steamer Walla Walla, for Victoria; ship Wilna and bark Oregon for Nanaimo. Sailed—Ship Ivanhoe, for Seattle.

Drowning Accidents.

SACRAMENTO, March 10.—A fisherman named Filben started out for a row Thursday last and has not since been heard from. A Kanaka known by the nickname of Solomon, is also believed to be drowned. He left about three weeks ago ago, and has not returned or been seen.

San Francisco's Unemployed.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The relief fund for the unemployed amounts to over ten thousand dollars this evening. One hundred and fifty men go to work in the park to-morrow.

Drowned in a Slough.

RED BLUFF, Cala., March 10.—Herbert L. Taylor, a young school teacher, has been missing since Friday night. His body was found in a slough to-day, accidentally drowned. He has relatives in Maine.

FULL COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C.J., and Messrs. Walkem and Drake, J.)

Frank Richter, appellant, vs. Martin Strong, respondent. This was an appeal from the judgment of the gold commissioners court at Granite Creek. The court allowed the appeal, with costs of this court and of the court below. Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for appellant, and Mr. Mills for respondent.

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PRACTICAL EDUCATION.

The complaint everywhere is that education is not practical. The aim of the educationist is not to fit the pupil for the work of life, but to give him a smattering of many branches of knowledge that will be of little or no use to him when he has to earn his own living. Not only is the kind of education that children receive of little use to them in after life, but it is, to a very considerable extent, positively hurtful. It creates a false standard of excellence. What the school boy is proud of, and what is the object of his aspirations, is not what the man desires to excel in or what will help him to accomplish the purposes of his life. Thoughtful men see that much which the boy spends valuable time in learning is considered by the man as almost, if not altogether, useless.

It may be said that if the knowledge gained is not of much importance, the discipline to which the pupil has been subjected and the habits he has formed are of the greatest use to him in after life. This too is now considered a mistake. The discipline of the school is not like the discipline of the world, and the habits of the student are very different indeed from those of the man in business. The consequence is that the boy who leaves school at the age of sixteen or seventeen to enter any kind of business, mechancial, commercial or professional, has almost as much to unlearn as he has to learn. He, in the great majority of cases, finds out that the discipline of the school has been a very poor preparation for the life on which he has entered and that he has very little use indeed for a large proportion of the knowledge so-called, which he acquired in his school days.

Most men see and deplore this, but they have been taught to believe that school studies and lesson-learning must have been in some mysterious way, which he tries in vain to understand, necessary to prepare his mind for manhood's work. This is the tradition (we had almost written the superstition) of his time and his race, and he considers it presumptuous to question its truth and its reasonableness. But there are men in these days who do not allow themselves to be awed by tradition, and who are not to be deterred by reverence for the wisdom of their ancestors from enquiring into the tendencies of systems even the most venerable, and from trying them by the test of reason and common sense. They have tried the system of ordinary education by this test, and they have concluded that it is far from being sound.

Here is what the New York Herald says of the public schools of the United States, which have long been considered the model of what schools in which the children of the people are educated ought to be:

"The public schools of the country, under their present management, educate boys and girls to be clerks, and in a way generally which unfits them for the commoner and far more important, useful and self-helpful employments in life. Aside from reading and writing and arithmetic, they fail utterly to teach or train the pupils in anything which will be helpful to them in the struggle with life which is before them and which constantly grows more arduous.

"It is the evil and purely evil result of the public school system in the hands of those who control it, and who meet, as here, to magnify themselves and their misdoings, that the greater part of our young people are, by the so-called education they receive, forced into a few, and those the least paid and least useful employments, and come out of the public schools averse to manual labor and unfitted for it in mind and body.

"It is because a constantly increasing number of people see that the public school system, as now mismanaged, not only does not fit the pupils for earning their bread, but to the contrary carefully unfits them for that, that 'hostile criticisms are openly made. It is not possible in the average public school now-a-days for a boy or girl to get nearly as useful an education and training as is given to the young Indians at Hampton, where they are taught useful trades and thus prepared to support themselves as men and women."

The exclusively literary education of which the New York Herald complains and which it condemns in such unqualified terms is the only education which nine-tenths of the children of the people of Great Britain and her colonies receive. The loss which the Empire sustains from this impractical system of education is simply incalculable. Some of those who leave the schools wholly unfitted in mind and body for the occupations which they must follow in order to earn their bread, are trained in the workshops, on the farms and in the shops and offices for their work, get to like it and acquire considerable skill. But a very great proportion remain unskilled and never get to like the work which they must do or starve. The name of the unskilful, the inept and those who hate manual labor and look upon it as degrading is legion. They are of little use to themselves and they become a burden on the producers of the country.

If the bodies of the children were trained as well as their minds, if they were taught to use their hands as well as their heads. If they were encouraged to take the same pride in progress in mechanical arts as they are in intellectual and half-intellectual studies, the schools would every year turn out boys and girls who know what their tastes and aptitudes are and who would be fit at once to become useful in the different callings they are required to follow.

There are indications everywhere that this is to be the education of the future. Technical and industrial schools are being established in every civilized country of the world, and the time is not far off when the workshop will be as necessary an adjunct to the public school as the class room, and the saw and chisel will be as often in the hands of the pupils as the pen and the pencil. A good beginning has already been made.

CONTEMPORARIES NOT ANCESTORS.

The Times is never very brilliant but when it tries to be funny it becomes atrociously stupid. In order to convict the COLONIST of mossbackism it is obliged to assume that the people of Ontario living in the year of grace 1887 are our ancestors. It reads us a lecture on the proneness of mossbacks to attach undue importance to "ancestral example in justification of mossbackism" because we cited the practice of the Ontario and the whole Dominion of to-day in justification of the arbitration clause of the Attorney-General's Railway bill. It does not need much argument to show that the example of the people of Ontario in 1887, and the example of the whole Dominion in 1888, are not "ancestral examples." As the people who are alive to-day are not our ancestors, but our contemporaries, the elaborate satire of our contemporary is altogether misapplied; is, in fact, a piece of very ludicrous balderdash.

It is, we assure our very smart contemporary, one thing to have a blind reverence for ancestors and quite another thing to have a respect for the opinions and practices of persons living in our own day, who have as good an opportunity, and perhaps better opportunities, of obtaining the knowledge and the experience necessary to arrive at correct conclusions, than we enjoy.

Reasoning is perhaps thrown away on those who are not able to distinguish between contemporary practice and "ancestral example." But we will charitably conclude that our contemporary blundered, through haste and undue excitement rather than ignorance and sheer stupidity. It believed at the moment that it caught us tripping, and it was in such glee at the thought of convicting us of mossbackism that it did not think of the meaning of a term that any intelligent school boy thoroughly understands. We trust that our contemporary now sees that Mark Twain's satire and Herbert Spencer's "ponderous and incisive logic" were thrown away upon us. They did not apply to our case at all.

The argument we used, we contend, is a perfectly legitimate one. Men every day and in every walk of life enquire into the practice of their contemporaries, and if they are not self-sufficient fools they are, to a greater or less extent, guided by it. Every man of sense and prudence profits by the experience of those who are placed in circumstances similar to his own. The position of land-owners in Ontario and the other provinces is almost identical with that of the same class of men in British Columbia. All the provinces of the Dominion are in fact settled in pretty much the same way. Farmers are the owners of the land they cultivate. An arbitration law that has been found to work well in Ontario, in Quebec and in the Maritime Provinces would almost to a certainty be found to work well here. A system of valuing land taken for railway purposes which the farmers of the other provinces acquiesce in will not be likely to provoke a rebellion in British Columbia. Besides, the Dominion law already applies to this province, and not even our contemporary has said a word against it.

The truth seems to us to be that if any one else besides the Hon. Theodore Davie introduced the Railway Bill our contemporary would not have seen a single flaw in it and it would naturally have concluded that a law which suits every other part of the Dominion would suit this province. We trust that our contemporary sees now that we never thought of citing ancestral example in justification of Mr. Davie's bill or of mossbackism or of anything else, and that when it said we did, it made a very ridiculous blunder.

A VALID MARRIAGE.

It is sometimes difficult to decide whether a marriage or an alleged marriage celebrated in the United Kingdom is legal or not, but it appears that the British courts are exceedingly liberal in their interpretation of marriage contracts made in foreign lands. The Probate and Divorce Court of England was called upon a little while ago to decide upon the validity of a marriage of a British subject contracted under the Japanese laws and according to Japanese formalities in Japan. Captain Francis Brinkley married a Japanese lady, Yasu Tanka, in 1886. The lady, it appears, had not embraced the Christian faith when he married her. The marriage was a purely Japanese marriage. There was a certificate of marriage signed by the Governor and the Secretary of the province. Nothing was stated in this certificate about a religious ceremony, but it appeared from the evidence that the marriage was contracted in due form in the registry office. The evidence outside the certificate and the affidavit of Captain Brinkley was very meagre indeed. But the judge (Mr. Justice Butt) was satisfied that there had been a marriage contract according to the custom of the country, and he unhesitatingly pronounced it valid in England as well as in Japan. The London Times says: "It is a well established principle of our law that a marriage contracted abroad according to the rites and formalities prescribed by the laws of the country where it is contracted is a marriage binding and good for all purposes in England." Polygamous marriages are an exception to this rule. Lord Penzance is quoted as giving the following definition of Christian marriage: "The voluntary union for life of one man and one woman to the exclusion of all others." This is common sense, and it is gratifying to know that it is good law. Captain Brinkley's case came up on petition from himself. He wanted to make sure that there would be no uncertainty as to the legitimacy of his children after his death.

UNITED STATES CENSUS.

Preparations are being made to take the United States census. The work is to commence on June 2nd of this year. It is an immense undertaking and must be done systematically. The work is to be under the superintendence of Mr. Robert C. Porter. The country is to be divided into 175 districts over each of which a supervisor is to be appointed. Each district is divided into precincts. A precinct is an area which contained as nearly as possible 4,000 persons according to the enumeration of the last census. There is to be an enumerator to each precinct. This enumerator is to collect information on a variety of subjects. Not only is he to find out the number of persons living in his precinct, the sex, age, condition, occupation and nativity of each, but he must set down the number of acres cultivated on each farm, the number and the kind of stock on it, the crop raised, its value and the product per acre. He must find out the number of manufacturing establishments there are in his precinct, the capital invested in each, its output, the amount paid for raw material, the number of hands employed, the rate of wages paid, and all other facts connected with the industries that can be expressed in figures and that are of public interest. The enumerator must get full and accurate information with respect to the schools and colleges, the prisons, the charitable institutions, the lunatic asylums that are situated in his precinct. He will have a great deal of hard work to do, requiring for its successful performance intelligence, tact and persistence. There are to be 40,000 of these enumerators, and there will be 2000 persons besides employed in the work of tabulation. The amount appropriated to the preparation of the census, exclusive of printing, is $6,400,000.

The census taken this year will be the eleventh. The first was taken in 1790, just one hundred years ago. The population of the United States was then shown to be 3,929,214. The expense of taking that census was $25,000. It was found that when the next census was taken in the first year of the present century the population had increased 35.1 per cent. The greatest increase made in the United States in any decade was 36.38 per cent. It was in 1850 that the first elaborate census was taken. The population was, according to it, 23,101,876. The increase in population in sixty years was nearly five hundred per cent. In 1860 the population was 31,442,321. In 1880 it was 50,152,856. The Americans claim that the population of their country is now nearly, if not quite, 65,000,000. The growth of the great republic has been indeed wonderful. We have no doubt that the census of 1890 will show a wonderful increase in population and in wealth of all kinds.

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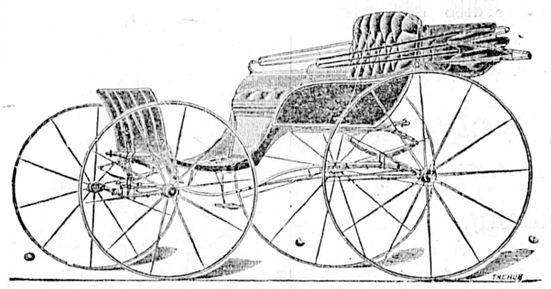
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

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Solicitors for the Applicant.
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Estate of William Heathorn, Deceased.

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M. C. HEATHORN,
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Dated this 27th day January, A.D. 1890.

NOTICE.

MR. H. B. W. AIKMAN, BARRISTER-at-Law, was, on the first day of January instant, admitted a partner in the firm of DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, which will be continued under the name of

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN.
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NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile holds my power of attorney, and will attend to the Canada Life Assurance and other business.
my9-1yr A. W. JONES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an act to incorporate a company, to be called the "Canadian Pacific Fire Insurance Company, Limited," for the purpose of carrying on a general fire insurance business within the province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1890.

CHARLES WILSON,
jy29 Solicitor for Applicants.

NOTICE

MESSRS. C. C. PEMBERTON AND Fred. G. Walker, barristers at law and solicitors, have entered into partnership. The firm will be carried on under the name of WALKER & PEMBERTON.
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Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between St. Clair Blackett and Frederick George White, carrying on business in Langley, B. C., as general merchants, under the firm name of Blackett & White, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All duly certified liabilities of the late firm will be paid at the Bank of B. C., New Westminster, and all outstanding accounts can be paid to either of the late firm, or to the Bank of B. C., New Westminster.

ST. CLAIR BLACKETT.
FRED. G. WHITE.
Witness—C. R. KING.
Victoria, B. C., March 1st, 1890. mc1

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between William Spencer Hampson and Chester Lee Terry, carrying on the business of general dry goods retailers on the corner of Yates and Broad streets, under the title of Hampson & Terry, is hereby dissolved by mutual agreement. Chester Lee Terry assumes the stock and will continue the business as usual and discharge all the liabilities of the late firm.

(Sgd) WM. SPENCER HAMPSON,
CHESTER LEE TERRY,
Witness—HENRY JOHN HOLMANS.
Victoria, January 30, 1890. feb4

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."
Lots 1658 and 1659 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall register the above lots in the name of J. B. Matthews as owner in fee in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 7th February, 1890, by the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
12th February 1890 fy12-1mo

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."
Lots 3 and 16 of Part of Section LXXVI., Victoria District.

WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Frederick Whatley Wood to the above lots, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1862, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.

Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 28th February, 1890. fy28

A CARD.

HAVING assumed entire control of the business heretofore existing under the title of Hampson & Terry, I wish, on behalf of the old firm, to thank all those who favored us with a share of their patronage, and solicit a continuance of the same for the new firm.

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C. L. TERRY.
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A Reward of $25.00 is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the Conviction of any Person or Persons Throwing any Stone or other Missile at any of the Electric Lamps in the City. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, Feb. 27, 1890. f28 C. M. C.

MUNICIPAL.

TAKE NOTICE THAT FROM AND after this date, piling of cordwood on the embankment between Dallas Road, together with its extension in Beacon Hill Park, and the foreshore, is hereby strictly forbidden.

By order of the Municipal Council,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Feb. 27, 1890. fy28

A BY-LAW.

To provide for the appointment of a Foreman of the Water Works.

WHEREAS, it is expedient to appoint a Foreman of the Victoria Water Works in pursuance of the provisions of "The Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1878."

Be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Thomas Preece is hereby appointed to be the Foreman of the Water Works of the City of Victoria, and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter perform such duties in connection therewith as may be required of him by the Water Commissioner.

2. The said Thomas Preece shall be entitled to 30 days notice prior to being discharged from his said office.

3. The compensation or salary of the said Thomas Preece shall be at the rate of one hundred dollars a month, payable monthly.

4. This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Foreman Appointment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 19th day of February, A. D. 1890.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 26th day of February, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. mc2

MUNICIPAL.

THE Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., hereby offers the sum of $2,000 for such sewerage plans and specifications for the said city, as shall be approved by the said Corporation;

Said plans and specifications to be prepared according to the "Separate" system, to be indorsed "Sewerage Plans and Specifications," and to be received at the office of the undersigned not later than the 1st day of May next, at 4 p. m.

All information will be supplied, and levels shown on the city map, on application at the City Surveyor's office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's office,
March 6th, 1890. mc7

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned under the firm name of Routledge, Swinerton & Co., has been dissolved, as and from the 31st January last, by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned, William Henry Routledge, under the firm name of Routledge & Co., and all accounts will be paid by him.

Dated at Victoria, 12th February, 1890.

W. H. ROUTLEDGE,
ROBT. H. SWINERTON.
Witness C. DUBOIS MASON. fy13

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the "Confederation Life Association" will make application to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for an Act authorizing the said Association at any general meeting thereof, and from time to time, to vary the number of the Directors of their General Board and to reduce the same to not less than ten, and also to increase the power of the said Association to invest the funds of the Association in real estate and ground rents, and in renewable leaseholds of real estate in the Province of Ontario by purchase, mortgage or otherwise, and to remove the limitation, in so far as the said Province is concerned, now imposed by the second section of the Act to incorporate said Association, known as 31 Victoria, Chapter 51; and for other purposes.

JAMES BEATY,
Solicitor for the "Confederation Life Association."
Toronto, 3rd December, 1889. d12-2m

NOTICE.

Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, of Broad St., Victoria, have this day been appointed the agents of The Citizens Insurance Company of Canada, for Vancouver Island, and are the only persons entitled to receive premiums due to the said Company and transact their business on said Island.

Mr. E. A. Hart is no longer in the service of this Company.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., 21st February, 1890.

The Citizens Insurance Co. of Canada.
By their duly authorized agent.
fy22-1m H. ABBOTT.



NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified not to deposit Ashes or any Refuse Matter on or over the bank in the vicinity of the public highway between Beacon Hill and Ross Bay. Any person convicted of so doing will be punished as the law directs.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 27th Feb. 1890. m1

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HYGIENE OF THE FEET.

How to Treat and Trim Toe-Nails—Some Practical Suggestions.

Dr. Izard, a Parisian authority on the health of the feet, writes as follows to Le Franc Parleur regarding the nails: "A most important part of the hygiene of the feet has for its object the nails. To-day an absurd custom imported from China decrees that the nails of the hands should be allowed to grow long, but it does not apply to those of the feet. These last must be cut regularly or they will grow so fast as to fold under the toe, form blisters and be as much of an annoyance to the boot as they are in walking. They become in such cases very painful at the roots under the influence of the least pressure. To evade all such accidents it will be well to cut the nails each time a foot bath is taken. The water will soften them and permit them to be pared easily without danger of tearing them. Scissors are sufficient for this operation. The difficulty is to know whether it is better to cut the nails in a semi-circle or in a direct line. The following is the rule generally observed: When the toes are well formed and the nails equally so, when the pressure exercised by the shoe does not cause any deviation, the nails should be cut in a semi-circle in conformity to the rotund configuration of the extremity of the toes. But when these are displaced or deformed by the action of the shoe care must be taken on account of the deformity to always give to the nail that is being pared the shape of the extremity of the toe. If it be not so pared and if the sides of the nail are left to protrude while the middle part has been cut, the least lateral pressure on the extremity of the foot causes the protruding part of the nail to enter the flesh of the protruding toe. Too narrow or too short shoes are apt to produce much annoyance. In such cases the nails must be cut in conformity to the shape of the toes. To prevent the nail from entering the flesh of the big toe the nail must be cut on the square rather than on the round. So say several physicians, but I am not of the same opinion, because experience has taught me that this vicious conformation does not in the least depend on the manner in which the nail has been pared."

NEW YORK FASHIONS.

The Growing Popularity of Braided Gowns—Novelties in Furs.

Braided gowns continue to be greatly in demand, and two pretty examples of this kind are well worth describing. The one is in myrtle-green cloth, braided elaborately in a mixture of myrtle green and gold. The pointed bodice has a shaped vest of braiding, while similar designs are brought down to a point below the waist, starting from under the arms at either side. The skirt is arranged with long draperies brightened with braiding and opening on the right side over a graduated panel formed entirely of five knife plaitings of myrtle-green cloth. With this gown a double shoulder cape of cloth is worn, made with a high collar covered with green and gold braiding, and so arranged that it can be worn either standing up or turned down. The other gown is in a warm, red shade of brown, called dahlia, with a full skirt, plaited on one side and trimmed there only with two long lines of terra-cotta braiding, reaching from waist to hem and forming a kind of panel. The bodice is cut very short in the waist, and opens in front over crosswise folds of terra-cotta silk, surmounted by a Directoire jabot of finely-plaited cream lisse. The bodice is further finished with a wide collar turned back so as to show the braiding with which it is ornamented.

It is somewhat early to touch upon fur-trimmed garments, and yet they are already displayed in the shops. One example is a trim little jacket made in what is technically known as black-ribbed coating, and arranged in a very becoming manner in front, with two waistcoats. The lower one, of cloth, is cross-wrapped and handsomely braided, while the upper one, which is like a plastron, is covered entirely with black Astrakhan fur. The deep collar is lined with the same fur, and can be worn either turned down or standing up *a la Medicis*. The deep cuffs are also of Astrakhan, as well as the edging of the open jacket front and the two covered buttons at the back on the waist line. This jacket is novel and stylish, and, as our English cousins say, has a very "smart" effect. – Leslie's Weekly.

Under the Chin.

You may have heard travelers scoff at the practical Frenchman who stuffs one corner of his napkin inside his shirt collar and spreads it fully over the front of his person from his chin down to his knees. This is the practice of the French people of the middle and lower classes, who are thrifty and prudent, and who wish to eat at their ease and not spot their clothes. There is nothing ridiculous in this practice. There is a reason, and an excellent reason, for so spreading the napkin, and if I were dining at home, or alone at a restaurant or club, and had on my spotless shirt and open waistcoat and clawhammer coat, all ready to go to the opera, I should certainly spread my napkin over my manly and snowy bosom, just as the Frenchman does, and so I should dine at my ease, serenely and without care, knowing that I had thus insured the immaculateness of my linen. However, let it be remembered that company manners in all countries require you simply to spread your napkin loosely over your knees, and to eat cleanly and decently.—Theodore Child in Harper's Bazar.

"Boy Hamlet."

John Howard Payne enjoys the distinction of being the first American Hamlet who was born in America, and he had been born but seventeen years when he played "Hamlet" at the Park theatre in May, 1809. He was the first of the long line of infant phenomena in this country, and the original "Boy Hamlet." Fired by the marvelous—and ridiculous—success of Master Betty in England, he went upon the stage with little professional training, and with barely sufficient intelligence to play the parts of Rosencrantz or Guildenstern, but he drew enormous crowds, and put money in his purse. Two years later, on the 5th of April, 1811, he introduced the tragedy of "Hamlet" to Albany audiences; but he is remembered by posterity as a playwright rather than as a player, and as the author of one immortal song. His Hamlet naturally was as immature and as amateur as it was premature.—Lawrence Hutton in Harper's Magazine.

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"'Tom, says Burns all at once, 'this is more than I can stand. I am going to stop.'

"Sure enough he stopped and we both got off the cab. But there was no dog to be seen, and after looking around for a while we started off slowly into a cut. Before the wheels had fairly begun to revolve, the headlight flashed upon a two ton rock on the track ahead of us.

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" 8.51	" 2.44		ESQUIMALT	" 1.10	" 5.44	
" 9.21	" 3.09		GOLDSTREAM	" 12.43	" 5.19	
" 10.16	" 4.04		SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 11.48 A.M	" 4.24	
" 10.28	" 4.14		COBBLE HILL	" 11.36	" 4.14	
" 10.45	" 4.29		McPHERSON'S	" 11.19	" 3.59	
" 10.57	" 4.39		KOKSILAH	" 11.07	" 3.49	
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C. P. N. Co's STEAMER
"PRINCESS LOUISE"
Will leave Spratt's wharf on
Saturday, March 15th, 1890,
at 4 p. m., for
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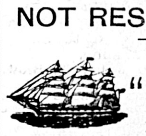
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TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1890.

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BIRTH.

ARCHIBALD—In this city on the 9th inst., the wife of W. F. Archibald of a son.

DIED.

MACLEAN—In this city, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O'Brien, 112 Pandora street, John MacLean, a native of Argyleshire, Scotland, aged 90 years and 6 months.

The funeral will take place to-day (Tuesday) at 2 p. m., from the residence of Mrs O'Brien. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

BRENTON—On the evening of the 8th inst., of croup, Dulcie Veronica, aged five years and eleven days, twin daughter of the Rev. C. J. and May J. Brenton.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock, p. m., from Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

MUND.—In this city, on the 9th instant, Ida Mund, a native of California, aged 33 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (Tuesday) at 3:30 p. m., from Hayward's Undertaking rooms, and at 3:45 from Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited to attend.

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LITTLE LOCALS.

Ald. Kelly's ice works resume business to-day.

Three more cases of fine bird cages at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St. *

The "ENDLESS WEAR" knit hose for boys at the CITY HOUSE. tf

Monogram and visiting cards engraved at the THE COLONIST office.

Stationery at Daley's, 91 Douglas St. *

Several Spokane Falls gentlemen interested in the B. C. Southern Railway spent Sunday in the city.

Vancouver's new Y.M.C.A. building is to be commenced as soon as the plans are ready.

For Sheffield razors pocket knives, scissors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street.

To keep the house warm use the Champion Weather Strip. for sale by J. P. Burgess, No. 10 Broughton street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of School Trustees will be held in the city hall this evening.

Rev. P. McF. Macleod will lecture on Personal Purity to young men only in the Y.M.C.A. rooms this evening.

Stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

RAGS—Five cents a pound will be paid for clean cotton rags delivered in the pressroom of THE COLONIST.

Everything ran smoothly at the fourth Erminie rehearsal held in the Sir Wm. Wallace Hall last evening.

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CHILDRENS' EXTRA STRONG RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE, Spliced knees, knee cap ankles and feet, at the CITY HOUSE. tf

The new organ of the Gorge Road Methodist church will be heard for the first time at the concert this evening. Prof. Sharpe will give a recital.

Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90½ Government street. Telephone call, No. 171. A. HEATHORN.

A fine lot of all kinds of brushes, dusters, whisks, brooms, mops, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

The wedding of Mr. W. F. Pauline and Miss Mesher, eldest daughter of Mr. Geo. Mesher, the contractor, will be celebrated to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

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H. M. S. Acorn, which left yesterday morning for a cruise along the coast, returned to Esquimalt in the afternoon, the weather outside being too squally to be pleasant.

The members of the A. O. U. W. in this city will meet to-morrow evening in the hall of Victoria Lodge No. 19 to consider the expediency of offiliating with the Grand Lodge of Canada.

Dinner Pails and Lunch Baskets at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Take your misfitting suits to the "Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment," there they can be made to fit you at a small cost. Jno. T. Pierre, prop., 96 Yates street.

A large quantity of special machinery has been ordered by A. Haslam, M.P.P., of Nanaimo, to be placed in his mill at the Coal City. A sash and door factory is being added to the business and the sawmill is being greatly enlarged and improved.

A fine assortment of Kitchen articles at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

A couple of dozen of champagne, several bottles of brandy and three or four young men occupying a proscenium box, made their presence disagreeably conspicuous at the theatre last evening. One of the men further distinguished himself after the audience had departed by falling from the box to the stage.

There are two prisoners at "C" battery barracks awaiting trial by court-martial as soon as the necessary permission arrives from Ottawa. The one prisoner is charged with desertion, the other with larceny. Search is also being made for another batteryman, who silently departed a few nights ago.

CUTTING prices on furniture seems to be the order of the day. Not wishing to be outdone by anybody, JACOB SEHL has decided to enter the cutting field and cut down prices 10 per cent. lower than any other firm, on the largest and best assorted stock in the province, of furniture, carpets, linoleum, matting, window blinds, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc. Call and convince yourself at Nos. 66 and 68 Government street.

The members of Far West Lodge, K. of P., turned out in full force at the funeral of the late Richard Hunter on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Reid and Lodge Chaplain Hughes conducted the services. The following Knights acted as pall-bearers: S. L. Redgrave, S. Arnold, H. B. Rendall, B. H. John, J. S. Fullerton, H. Behnsen, R. J. Plummer, and J. Stephenson.

At a meeting of the Bandsmen's Union held on Sunday evening with the vice-president, Prof. Haynes, in the chair, the constitution and by-laws were adopted, and the meeting adjourned for one week. Mayor Grant by letter acknowledged the honor conferred on him by his being elected president, and promised the Union all the assistance he could render it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Fraudulent Certificates.

Out of the 96 Chinese passengers by the Abyssinia six held Victoria return certificates. Of these, three were fraudulent and the holders are under lock and key at Vancouver.

Marine Engineers.

The treasurer of the Marine Engineers' association has given $1,000 bonds to guarantee faithfulness in the discharge of his duty. The new association is now on a fair road to success, a large number of new members being admitted at each meeting.

Runaway.

A team of horses belonging to a Chinaman and hitched to a heavy wagon took fright on Douglas street yesterday morning, completely demoralizing the wagon and smashing things up generally. They were brought to a sudden stop by running into a telephone pole, which had the effect of stunning one of them.

Magic Lantern Lecture.

Rev. E. G. Wheeler, of Portland, Oregon, will lecture in the Cavalry Baptist church this evening on his tour of Europe. The lecture will be illustrated with 300 views thrown on canvas by a strong stereopticon outfit and handled by an expert. He will repeat his lecture on Wednesday evening.

Southward Bound.

The City of Puebla left for San Francisco yesterday with the following passengers: Wm. Skene, L. Redon, Mrs. C. F. Crowse, F. W. Foster, R. L. Patterson, G. W. Percival, R. P. Rithet, Mrs. Dodd, Miss H. Townsdend, Miss T. Drake, Miss M. Langley, Miss E. Foster, J. A. Laidlaw and wife, Mrs. C. McTavish and Miss McTavish.

Course of Lectures.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Dr. Orpha Baldwin will deliver a lecture to ladies this afternoon, at 3 o'clock in the Temperance Hall. The Doctor will also deliver a public lecture, to which all are invited, on Wednesday evening, 12th, at 8 o'clock in the Temperance Hall. Dr. Baldwin, of Ohio, is an able lecturer and comes highly recommended. Admission free. Collections will be taken up at close of lectures.

Timber Marking.

In the bill in regard to timber marking introduced in the House yesterday by Mr. A. Haslam, member for Nanaimo, provision is made to meet a difficulty which has often presented itself to the lumbermen of the province—the difficulty of proving conclusively the ownership of logs in the event of a boom breaking and the logs making their way to shore. The bill provides that each logger must register a certain brand, with which he shall mark his logs, and by which he can prove his ownership under any and all circumstances.

The 26th Anniversary.

The 26th anniversary of the institution of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., was appropriately celebrated last evening by a grand banquet in the lodge hall The Noble Grand, Mr. A. McKeown, filled the chair of honor, and upwards of forty brethren, including delegates from the sister lodges of the city, surrounded the tables. The spread was all that could be desired, thanks to the care taken by Bro. Crossman, of the Lorne restaurant, in its preparation. Music of very excellent quality was supplied by the orchestra of the order, and with toast and song, speech and jovial good fellowship, the evening was most happily whiled away.

A Growing Industry.

So greatly has Mr. John Weiler's furniture manufacturing business grown within the past year that he now finds it necessary to almost double the capacity of his premises. He is still contemplating whether to build a new factory, on or near the site of the present one, or to enlarge and improve the old premises. It is probable that the latter course will be decided upon, and within the next few months $10,000 or more will be expended in the erection of new buildings and the purchase of modern and special machinery. Considerable plant has already been ordered, and the work of enlarging the capabilities of the factory has only commenced.

A Complicated Case.

In the provincial police court H. Franklin was charged by W. McDowell with stealing a lot of woodchoppers tools from his farm at Boundary Bay. McDowell said that the defendant and another man had contracted with him to cut cordwood at $1.10 per cord, but as they had no money he had bought the tools for them and they were to pay for them in work. They had done very little work, however, before they took the tools and sold them, and they also owed him for board. The prisoner pleaded that they had done enough work to more than pay for the tools, and his honor remanded the case for one week, the defendant being allowed out on his own recognizance.

City Police Court.

In the city police court yesterday morning Maud Blanchard, charged with keeping a house of ill-fame, was fined $50.

F. Brinston, charged with indecent exposure, was fined $10.

P. J. Houlihan, charged with causing a disturbance while drunk, pleaded guilty and was fined $10.

His Honor—If you want to do these things you should go out in one of your ten-acre fields and the police won't bother you.

Geo. Layton and James Morris, charged with being frequenters of a house of ill-fame, did not answer to the regulation three calls. Warrants were issued for their arrest.

Wah Sing, charged with an infraction of the revenue by-law, was remanded for one week.

Church Opening.

At 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon the new Methodist church at Russell Station, which has been recently erected by the Y. P. A. of the Pandora street Methodist church at a cost of $1,000, was formally opened with a service of especial interest, in which Rev. Messrs. Starr, Rugg and Fraser and a mixed choir from their respective churches took part. Addresses were delivered by the clergymen present, and good congregational singing formed a pleasant feature of the day. The offertory amounted to $33.60; considering the weather, a very creditable sum. Last evening a genuine old time social was held at the new church, where refreshments were served in abundance and a first-class programme was presented. It is the intention to hold service in the new church every Sunday afternoon, the pulpit being supplied by the Methodist clergy of Victoria.

Michigan Milling Men.

Negotiations which have been in progress for some time between Messrs. McIntyre and Hewout, two Michigan lumber men of large capital and experience, and Mr. Sutton, of the Cowichan sawmill, have at last resulted in the purchase by the former of the latter's entire business interests in the province, including the mill, timber leases and good-will. The amount of money moving in the big transaction is not stated. Mr. Sutton has already left on a trip east, and the new proprietors of the Cowichan mills have announced their intention of at once proceeding with the construction of a mill, on the present site, having a capacity of 150,000 feet of lumber per day. Important improvements will also be made to the river to increase its adaptability to the business, and altogether between $150,000 and $200,000 will be spent by the new firm before they begin to reap any profits from their business. A great part of the plant for the new mill has been already ordered, and a portion is now on the way from the east.

At The Victoria.

The very funny play of "A Bunch of Keys" caused a full house to laugh at The Victoria last evening. A number of really clever people made up the company, while the singing, dancing, etc., was of a very superior order. All the incidentals of the performance were of the best, and the play as a whole fully satisfied the audience. This evening the "Bunch of Keys" will be repeated, and no doubt the theatre will again be well filled.

Ashore on the Rocks.

The schooner Challenge, owned in Port Townsend, is ashore on Guemes Island, Puget Sound, where she was driven by the fierce gale on Thursday last. The schooner struck in such a position that it was impossible for her long to stand the beating of the waves. A heavy northwest wind was blowing and the breakers struck her fearful blows as they washed over the rocky beach. It was utterly impossible for a tug or wrecking steamer to get to her. Nothing further was heard from her, but it is probable that she has gone to pieces.

The Quintette Club.

The Mendelssohn Quintette Club, of Boston, will appear in the theatre on Saturday evening. On the occasion of their being here last year the house was crowded, and no doubt they will be welcomed by a large audience Saturday. The club has always stood at the head of its class. Miss Hamlin, the soprano, has sung for three seasons in the best concerts and oratorios in London, also with Patti. Mr. Max Dioge, the violincellist, played with the Berlin Symphony Society for some time; also spent two seasons in St. Petersburg and two in Finland, and is a most accomplished artist. This concert will be the musical event of the season and all who love good music should be present.

From Liverpool.

The British ship Dunscore, Captain Hind, 1,000 tons register, which left Liverpool on November 5th for this port, arrived safely in Esquimalt harbor yesterday afternoon, having made the trip in the remarkably quick time of 125 days. She came in under sail and without a pilot, and although it was his first visit to the harbor Capt. Hind brought his ship to anchor just where he wanted her without assistance from anybody. The Dunscore brought a heavy cargo of naval supplies and general merchandise, her consignees being Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co. After discharging the portion of her cargo intended for the Navy, the ship will be brought into Victoria harbor, where she will unload the remainder of her freight.

Along the Docks.

Steamer Danube will arrive from Vancouver on Wednesday with the Abyssinia's freight.

Steamer City of Topeka left Tacoma yesterday for this port on her way to Alaska.

Steamer City of Puebla left for San Francisco yesterday morning with 150 passengers.

Bark Archer will sail for Portland at the end of the week to load.

Bark Glenbervie commenced discharging naval stores at Esquimalt yesterday and also discharging 1,500 kegs of powder on the Pilot for Departure Bay.

Steamer North Pacific did not arrive from the Sound until 8:30 last evening, having been detained by a head wind.

Steamer Yosemite arrived from Westminster at 10 o'clock last night.

Local Industry.

It is now over four years since the first Goodwin piano was made and sold in British Columbia. In the factory there are twenty-five either finished or in course of construction, and as many more have been sold and distributed about the province, giving entire satisfaction to their purchasers, who have signified the same by written testimony, which the makers are about to publish. A call at the factory will not only convince intending buyers that a first-class piano can be made at home, but also obtained for much less than its imported equal:

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SAMUEL GRAY.

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WALTER WILSON.

Campbell River, Comox,
— GOODWIN, Esq.—Dear Sir:—The piano my sister bought from you last August is in perfect order and has given her great satisfaction. Yours truly,
FRANK NUNNS.

The above testimonials and several others may be seen at the factory, corner Fort and Broad streets.
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PERSONAL.

Dr. W. F. Strother, of Comox, is in the city.

H. E. Croasdaile left this morning for Anacortes. He will be gone about a fortnight.

Mrs. C. and Miss McTavish were passengers by the City of Puebla yesterday for the Bay City.

R. P. Rithet and F. W. Foster were passengers for San Francisco by the City of Puebla yesterday.

Miss T. Drake, Miss M. Langley and Miss E. Foster left yesterday for San Francisco by the City of Puebla.

Miss Chambers, of Calgary, who has been spending several days with Victoria friends, left for San Francisco yesterday.

B. Springer, for some years manager of the Moodyville sawmill, has resigned, and will be succeeded by Mr. Ramsdale.

Rev. W. W. Bolton, late rector of St. Paul's, Esquimalt, has been appointed assistant rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church.

H. H. Clarke, E. C. Gore, H. S. Cole, R. C. Vannerford, H. Brock and J. H. Spear, of Spokane Falls, are at the Driard.

Supt. Winslow, of the Electric Street Railway, went over to Vancouver this morning to direct the work of placing a system in operation there.

W. Crickmay, C. D. Rand, A. H. B. Macgowan, A. St.G. Hammersley, A. J. MacPherson and Wm. Skene, of Vancouver, came over on Sunday night and are guests at the Driard.

W. M. Adams, of Morrison & Adams, stockraisers, Alexandria, Cariboo, has been in the city a couple of days and leaves for Ontario this morning. While east he will meet his partner, who has been visiting in Scotland, and they will purchase some thoroughbred stock for the purpose of improving their herd.

A. R. Milne, collector of customs, leaves this morning for a six weeks' trip to eastern Canada. He will make a tour of the large cities, and inspect the manner in which customs work is carried on, with the intention of perfecting the Victoria service. He will also visit his relatives in Toronto and Newford, Ont.

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Enquire for Fernwood lots near the tramway line, adjoining Col. Dupont's residence.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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NOTICE OF MOTION.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—To move for copies of all orders-in-council, documents and letters which preceded the appointment of Mr. Justice Drake as a commissioner to enquire into matters connected with the Victoria jail, together with a copy of the evidence taken and the report of the commissioner.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—To move for copies of all orders-in-council and correspondence between the Dominion and Provincial governments, not printed in the provincial sessional papers, with reference to the disallowance, amendments or otherwise of the statutes of the province passed in the sessions of 1885, 1888 and 1889.

Hon. Mr. Beaven to move that section 96 of the Municipal Act, 1889, be amended and the following inserted: To make, preserve, improve, maintain, alter, level, raise or lower streets, or bridges, or sidewalks, and no person whose real property has been or may be injuriously affected by reason of such street, or bridge, or sidewalk having been levelled, raised or lowered shall be entitled to any compensation or damages therefor, notwithstanding any law to the contrary.

Hon. Mr. Beaven will also move an amendment to the Municipal Act providing that block or ground plans of new buildings shall be submitted to the city inspector.

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—To ask the hon. provincial secretary: Have you or any officer of the department over which you preside, or its branch, the education office, any knowledge of the facts referred to in the following letter published in THE COLONIST newspaper on 28th February, 1888, in respect to the conduct of public school teachers:

[COPY OF LETTER.]

WANTS TO KNOW.

TO THE EDITOR: Can you inform me which one of your public teachers was it that is said to have disgraced himself at the panorama on Saturday evening last, by making himself conspicuous, as I hear, in creating repeated disturbances amongst the audience, thus setting forth anything but a laudable example to the many school children present. ENQUIRER.

Hon. Mr. Beaven—To move that the clerk of the House be authorized to re-arrange the amended sections of Bill No. 2 so as to read them consecutively in conjunction with the Municipal Act, 1889.

Mr. Anderson—On consideration of the National Electric Tramway Company bill, To move to strike out all the words after "commenced" on the first line thereof, and insert the following: From the city of Victoria to Brackman & Ker's mill, in the district of North Saanich, within two years, and shall be completed and in running order within five years from the passing of this act, and in default of compliance with this provision of this section the right to construct the said tramway between the city of Victoria and North Saanich shall cease and terminate.

Hon. Mr. Turner—To move, on consideration of the report on a bill to incorporate the Royal Jubilee Hospital, to insert the words "Provincial Royal" between "the" and "Jubilee" in the title of the bill, and to insert the words "Provincial Royal" before "Jubilee" in every section of the bill in which the word "Jubilee" shall occur.

Mr. Cunningham—To ask leave to introduce a bill entitled "An Act for the encouragement of agriculture and horticulture.

PUPLIC MEETING AT KOOTENAY

HOT SPRINGS CAMP, B. C.,
March 1st, 1890.

At a public meeting held here to-day at which the majority of residents and interested parties attended, the question of re-distributing the immense Kootenay section for purposes of representation in the provincial parliament was discussed by Messrs. Buchanan, Anderson, Wright and others. The meeting was spirited and in addition to the above question, the railroad and duty questions were dealt with, and the following resolutions were adopted without a dissenting voice:

Whereas it is understood that a measure will be introduced in the present legislature providing for increased representation of certain portions of the province—and

Whereas the district of Kootenay is one of the largest in the province and very poorly suplied with means of communication, and whereas the recent discoveries of mineral wealth in many portions of the district, and especially in the south-western part, plainly indicate that we are on the threshold of a stage of great development and progress in population and wealth; and

Whereas, There are at the present moment many projects on foot for the development of the district, such as railway schemes, navigation improvements and land reclamation schemes, many of them calling for aid from the public funds and appropriations of public lands, and all of them vitally affecting our welfare as a community and demanding the watchful supervision of a representative elected by ourselves and responsible to us; and,

Whereas, From our isolated position, and the want of knowledge which has hitherto existed concerning our resources, we have have had very inadequate appropriations for roads, public buildings and other public expenditures and a continuous dearth of magistrates and provincial officers; and,

Whereas, We have never seen in our midst a member of the government, or even of the Provincial Assembly, have had no sufficient mail service, no provincial courts, and in all respects have been completely cut off from the rest of the province.

Therefore, be it resolved, That we are in favor of a general redistribution of representation throughout the province.

Resolved, That in our opinion the Kootenay district should be divided into two distinct districts upon the basis of the present lines of East and West Kootenay, and such should be entitled to one member of assembly.

Resolved, That every proper encouragement should be given to the promoters of railway and steamboat lines who promise to connect us with the settled regions to the north, the coal regions on the east or the states adjoining us on the south.

Resolved, That we wish to encourage our provincial government and our Dominion members of parliament in their endeavors to procure the exemption of mining machinery from the Dominion duties, and hope such efforts until that object is attained.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be forwarded to Lieut.-Col. James Baker, M. P. P., and a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each of the Victoria daily papers.

(Signed) G. O. BUCHANAN,
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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

HERE AND THERE.

The Victoria-World football match, which was arranged for Saturday last, was not played on account of the failure of a portion of the team to put in an appearance. In all probability the game will be played next Saturday.

The following are the awards of the judges, Messrs. Campbell and Millington, in the boxing contests which were held in The Victoria on Saturday evening: Bantam weights, J. Pinder; feather weights, D. Macdonald; light weights, H. J. Martin; heavy weights (open to all), S. Lewis.

The decisions in the bantam and light weight classes do not meet with general approval, and Prof. Foster refused to give up the latter cup until the judges give some explanation of their decision.

THE OAR.

The Oxford and Cambridge boat race will be rowed on the 26th inst.

According to a cablegram from Australia, Peter Kemp has publicly announced that he is the single-scull champion oarsman of the world, and will row any man in England, America or Australia—William O'Connor, the American champion, preferred—over the Paramatta championship course for £500 a side. J. G. Deeble is Kemp's backer.

The Vancouver Boating Club hold their annual meeting in a few days. A grand regatta some time during the summer is talked of. Mr. A. G. Ferguson, who is now in San Francisco, will try and persuade the rowing clubs there to send up a four-oared crew to compete and it is expected with good success.

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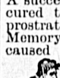
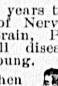
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